

## Norridge Police Department

### Accident Review Board

Date assigned	Member	Present	Excused	Unexcused
5/1/2003	Sgt. Orlando	x		
5/1/2003	Cpl. Schober	x		
12/1/2012	Off. Turano	x		
5/1/2003	Off. Malicki	x		

Review Date: 07/16/15

M/V Crash: 15-08840

Officer: C. Smith #12

Squad #502

#### 1. Classification I.

- a. The incident was NON-PREVENTABLE and the employee was not at fault. Caution was apparently exercised.
- b. The employee was legally parked or standing.
- c. The employee was aware of the impending hazard, was alert to the consequences and skillful in minimizing the effect of the hazard.
- d. In incidents the board resolves to be Classification I, no disciplinary action will be taken.

#### 2. Classification II.

- a. The employee failed to exercise reasonable and due care.
- b. The employee deviated inexcusably from Dept. Rules and Regulations, Procedures and/or General Safety Practices.
- c. In incidents the board resolves to be Classification II, disciplinary action recommended may be:
  - (i) For the very first incident of record for the employee in a rolling 24 month period, a letter of reprimand will be issued and attendance and successful completion of a "Defensive Driving Course may be ordered. Only one letter of reprimand may be issued during the 24 month period in which the incident occurred.
  - (ii) For a second Classification II finding by the board in the 24 month period a 2 day suspension without pay shall be imposed.
  - (iii) For a third Classification II finding by the board in a 24 month period, a 3 day suspension without pay shall be imposed.

Recommendation: The board unanimously agreed 2a.

Sheet 1 of 1 Sheets



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**REMEMBER TO USE BLACK INK, PRESS HARD, PRINT LEGIBLY AND COMPLETE ALL REQUIRED FIELDS!**

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A **Diagram** and **Narrative** are required on all **Type B** crashes, even if units have been moved prior to the officer's arrival.



INDICATE NORTH BY ARROW

4300 HARLEM

HARLEM

1  
2

DIAGRAM  
NOT TO  
SCALE

CULLOM

NARRATIVE (Refer to vehicle by Unit No.)

At approx. 1217 hrs. on 7/6/15, I was dispatched to the intersection of Harlem/Cullom for the report of a M/V accident involving NPD Unit #502. Upon arrival the vehicles had relocated to the 2200 block of Cullom. Upon interviewing both drivers I learned:

- Unit 1 & 2 S/B Harlem in curb lane - waiting for traffic signal at Cullom.
- S/B Traffic signal changed to green and Unit 2 started to proceed S/B into intersection. Unit 2's driver stopped abruptly in front of Unit 1 who had also proceeded S/B on the green light.
- Unit 1's front bumper struck the rear bumper of Unit 2

LOCAL USE ONLY

- No reported injuries on scene.
- minor visible damage to Unit 2's rear bumper, no visible damage to Unit 1.

U1 Color BLACK

U2 Color GRAY

U1 Towed by / to

U2 Towed by / to

## COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE (CMV)

IF MORE THAN ONE CMV IS INVOLVED, USE SR 1050A  
ADDITIONAL UNITS FORMS.

A CMV is defined as any motor vehicle used to transport passengers or property and:

1. Has a weight rating of more than 10,000 pounds (example: truck or truck/trailer combination); or
2. Is used or designed to transport more than 15 passengers, including the driver (example: shuttle or charter bus); or
3. Is designed to carry 15 or fewer passengers and operated by a contract carrier transporting employees in the course of their employment (example: employee transporter - usually a van-type vehicle or passenger car); or
4. Is used or designated to transport between 9 and 15 passengers, including the driver, for direct compensation (example: large van used for specific purpose); or
5. Is any vehicle used to transport any hazardous material (HAZMAT) that requires placarding (example: placards will be displayed on the vehicle).

CARRIER NAME

ADDRESS

CITY/STATE/ZIP

USDOT NO.

ILCC NO.

Source of above info. ☐ Side of Truck ☐ Papers ☐ Driver ☐ Log Book

Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR)

Were HAZMAT placards displayed on the vehicle? ☐ Y ☐ N

If yes, name on placard

4-digit UN no. 1-digit Hazard Class no.

Did HAZMAT spill from the vehicle (do not consider fuel from the vehicle's own tank)? ☐ Y ☐ N ☐ UNKDid HAZMAT Regulations violation contribute to the crash? ☐ Y ☐ N ☐ UNKDid Motor Carrier Safety Regulations (MCS) violation contribute to the crash? ☐ Y ☐ N ☐ UNK

Was a Driver/Vehicle Examination Report form completed?

HAZMAT ☐ Y ☐ N ☐ UNK Out of Service? ☐ Y ☐ NMCS ☐ Y ☐ N ☐ UNK Out of Service? ☐ Y ☐ N

Form No.

IDOT PERMIT NO. WIDE LOAD? ☐ Y ☐ N

TRAILER WIDTH(S): 0-96" 97-102" &gt;102"

TRAILER 1 ☐ ☐ ☐TRAILER 2 ☐ ☐ ☐

TRAILER LENGTH(S): 1 \_\_\_\_\_ ft TRAILER 2 \_\_\_\_\_ ft

TOTAL VEHICLE LENGTH \_\_\_\_\_ ft NO. OF AXLES \_\_\_\_\_

SELECT CODES FROM BACK COVER OF CRASH BOOKLET:

VEHICLE CONFIGURATION

CARGO BODY TYPE \_\_\_\_\_ LOAD TYPE \_\_\_\_\_



# NORRIDGE POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Employee Warning Notice



Name: Christopher Smith Star #: 12 Date: July 20, 2015

### TYPE OF VIOLATION

Attendance	Carelessness	Insubordination	Late Arrival/Early Quit
Failure to Follow Instructions	Rudeness Towards Citizens	Willful Damage to Equipment	Personal Business While on Duty
Unsatisfactory Work Performance	Violations of Policy/Procedure	x Motor Vehicle Crash	Missing a Court Date

Date of Violation: July 6, 2015 Time of Violation: 1217hrs

### DESCRIPTION OF VIOLATION:

Officer involved in a "Preventable Property Damage Car Crash" as determined by the Accident Review Board. Accident Review Board classified the crash as a 2a, in that the officer failed to exercise reasonable care. (15-08840) No prior accidents within the last 24 months of this violation.

### OFFICER'S STATEMENT:

☒ I agree with the above description ☐ I disagree with the above description

My reason is: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Chris Smith  
Officer's Signature

12  
Star #

7/21/15  
Date

ACTION TAKEN	DATE	SUPERVISOR NAME & STAR
Verbal Warning		
X Written Warning	<u>7/21/15</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
Disciplinary Write-up		

### CONSEQUENCES IF VIOLATION OCCURS AGAIN;

Per departmental policy, a second preventable accident within 24 months of the date of this violaton, will result in a one day suspension and attendance in a remedial Defensive driving Course.

CS #12  
X  
two

☒ I have read and understand this warning;

Chris Smith #12  
Officer's Signature / Star#

7/21/15  
Date

Supervisor Issuing Warning:

[Signature]  
Supervisor's Signature / Star #

7/21/15  
Date